

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-18

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 AID-20 CIAE-00 COME-00 EB-11 FRB-02

INR-10 NSAE-00 RSC-01 TRSE-00 XMB-07 OPIC-12 SPC-03

CIEP-02 LAB-06 SIL-01 OMB-01 DRC-01 /096 W

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R 021400Z NOV 73

FM AMEMBASSY TANANARIVE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5745

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E. O. 11652: DECON 11/2/74

TAGS: EAID, ETRD, MA, IBRD

SUBJ: MALAGASY PURCHASE OF RAILROAD LOCOMOTIVES

REF: TANANARIVE'S A-142

1. DURING TALK OCT 29 MALAGASY DIRECTOR RAILWAYS STATED  
THERE HAS BEEN NO FINAL DECISION RE NUMBER RAIL LOCOMOTIVES  
TO BE PURCHASED, DESPITE INFO CARTIER SUPPLIED TO EMBASSY  
BY CHIEF RAILWAY STUDIES SERVICE AND REPORTED REF AIRGRAM  
ABOUT REDUCING NUMBER FROM TEN TO TWO.

2. DIRECTOR INDICATED DECISION WOULD BE INFLUENCED BY  
OUTCOME OF TALKS IN WASHINGTON WITH IBRD. MEETING WITH  
EXIMBANK COULD ALSO INFLUENCE (TANENARIVE'S 1481).  
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## Message Attributes

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